ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 28, 1951, from De Witt, Ark.

Product: 7 100-pound bags of rice at Minneapolis, Minn., in possession of the American Fruit & Produce Co.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: April 10, 1952. A default decree was entered and the court ordered that the product be denatured for use as animal feed or be destroyed.

18963. Adulteration of rice. U. S. v. 4 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32046. Sample No. 35253-L.)

LIBEL FILED: October 24, 1951, Northern District of Iowa.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 20, 1950, from Stuttgart, Ark.

PRODUCT: 4 100-pound bags of rice at Dubuque, Iowa.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: November 26, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be denatured and sold for use as animal feed.

18964. Adulteration of barley malt. U. S. v. 940 Bags * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32099. Sample No. 12994-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 16, 1951, District of Utah.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 11, 1951, from Milwaukee, Wis.

PRODUCT: 940 94-pound bags of barley malt at Salt Lake City, Utah, in possession of the Fisher Brewing Co.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent urine, rodent excreta, and rodent hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

Disposition: December 21, 1951. The Fisher Brewing Co., Salt Lake City, Utah, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be converted into stock feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

DAIRY PRODUCTS

BUTTER

18965. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Freeport Cooperative Creamery Assn. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$1,000. (F. D. C. No. 32707. Sample No. 18941-L.)

INFORMATION FILED: April 30, 1952, District of Minnesota, against the Freeport Cooperative Creamery Assn., Freeport, Minn.

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